[Mr. T. P. Ramasubba Aiyar.]

(*b*) Yes, a sum of Rs. 10,000 was drawn till now for various original works of public utility. A sum of Rs. 5,000 excluding interest is still left in the treasury.

(*c*) *Year.*	*Receipts.*	*Expenditure.*
	Rs.	Rs.
1098	48,816	44,395
1099	47,205	51,585
1100	47,518	55,558

(*d*) Yes, from the 2nd half of 1097; $2\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. and 3 per cent. respectively.

(*e*) A statement * containing the information required by the member is laid on the table.

(*f*) Yes, during Tulam 1100 by Mr. K. M. Mathan, Assistant Account Officer.

Nagercoil Municipal Election Cases.

10. **MR. M. SIVATANU PILLAI** (*Tovala*): (1) (*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state whether they were aware that two municipal election petitions were pending before the Additional District Magistrate, Padmanabhapuram, at the time of the election of the Chairman in the Nagercoil Municipality? If so, when were the above two petitions filed? How long have they been pending?

(*b*) Was any enquiry made into the cause of the delay?

(2) In view of the increase in the number of elected representatives from thirteen to fifteen, will the Government be pleased to state whether there was any special reason for not deferring the election of the Chairman till the final disposal of the two petitions referred to in part (1) (*a*)?

MR. T. P. RAMASUBBA AIYAR (*Secretary to Government*): (1) (*a*) Yes. The objection petitions were filed on the 16th Tulam 1101 and 25th Tulam 1101 and they were disposed of by the Division Peishkar on the 24th Meenam 1101.

(*b*) The delay was found, on enquiry, to be due to the absence of Vakils in the election cases and to the illness of the President, Municipal Council, Nagercoil.

(2) There were no special reasons; the election was ordered in the usual course in the absence of any request for its postponement.

Appointments, Issue of Commission, etc., in the Nagercoil District Court.

11. **MR. M. SIVATANU PILLAI** (*Tovala*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) the number of commissioners, receivers, Crown defences, clerks, etc., appointed by the District Judge of Nagercoil with their respective names and castes;

* *Vide* Appendix V—page 22.

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(*b*) whether commissions or posts of receivers are given by the District Judge to persons who are not in the list of persons published under the authority of the said court; if so, how many were so appointed with the reason therefor; and

(*c*) (i) when the present Judges and Munsiffs were posted to the Nagercoil District;

(ii) how long they have been in the same locality;

(iii) whether any of them remained for more than three years in service in the same locality; and

(iv) if so, the reason to continue such of them as have remained in one place for more than the prescribed period?

MR. K. GEORGE (*Chief Secretary to Government*): (*a*) and (*b*) Information can be furnished only if the period for which it is required is specified.

(*c*) (i) to (iv) A statement* containing the information required by the member is laid on the table.

Posting of Munsiffs, Judges and Magistrates in Tamil Taluks.

12. **MR. M. SIVATANU PILLAI** (*Tovala*): (*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state whether the posting of Judges and Munsiffs in the courts referred to in Rule 562, page 193, of the *Civil Courts' Guide* is done in accordance with the recognition of Tamil also as Court language in the said courts?

(*b*) Do they propose to pay more attention in future to the posting of judicial officers in those places, by appointing only those officers who possess a fair knowledge of Tamil?

(*c*) Do the Government propose to extend the principle to the Magistracy as well in such places?

MR. K. GEORGE (*Chief Secretary to Government*): (*a*) Yes.

(*b*) In view of the answer to part (*a*), this does not arise.

(*c*) The matter will be considered.

Facilities for teaching Tamil in the Schools at Trivandrum.

13. **MR. M. SIVATANU PILLAI** (*Tovala*): (*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state whether there is any departmental Tamil School in Trivandrum?

(*b*) If not, will they be pleased to open from the next school year departmental Tamil Schools in Tamilian centres of the town?

(*c*) Is there any facility for teaching Tamil in the Model School at Taikad and in the Sri Mula Vilasam School at Vanchiyur? If not, do the Government propose to provide for it from the next year onwards?

MR. K. GEORGE (*Chief Secretary to Government*): (*a*) No.

(*b*) The Government will consider the question.

(*c*) The answer to the first part of the question is in the affirmative. In view of the above answer, the latter part of the question does not arise.

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* *Vide* Appendix VI—page 23

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Appendix VI.

***Vide* Answer to Question No. 11.**

Posting of Munsiffs and Judges to the Nagercoil Courts.

Serial No.	Name of officer.	Designation and Station.	Date on which posted in the Nagercoil District.	Period during which the officer has been in the same locality.		Remarks.
				Years.	Months.	
1	Mr. R. Ramasubba Sastri	District Judge, Nagercoil	Chingam 1099	2	8	...
2	„ M. Govindan	Second Judge, Do.	Mithunam 1100	0	9	...
3	„ S. Subrahmanya Aiyar	Principal Dt. Munsiff, Do.	Medam 1096	1	5	Since transferred to the Addl. Munsiff's Court, Nagercoil.
4	„ T. Kesava Pillai	Addl. Dt. Munsiff, Do.	Makaram 1098	3	2	Since transferred to Trivandrum.
5	„ K. Velu Pillai	Principal Dt. Munsiff, Padmanabhapuram	Karkatakam 1098	2	9	Do. to Neyyattinkara.
6	„ J. Eapen	Addl. Dt. Munsiff, Do.	Medam 1100	0	11	Do. Minachil.
7	„ K. Ramakrishna Pillai	District Munsiff, Kuzhittura	Vrischikam 1100	1	5	Do. Kanjirapalli.